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Interesting Lotteries From Old Grade

## Many Contributions Received By G. H. S. Alumni Association

Mrs. Elizabeth Atkinson, Treasurer of the Grayling High School Alumni Association reports the first donation for the fund for purchasing the lounge of the new gym was received from Clifford Valley, Grayling, Class of 1933.

## New Manager At A. & P.

Gordon Anderson who has been a member of A. & P. food market at Beniah, will become the manager of the food market at Grayling next Monday. Anderson will take the place of Joseph "Nemick" who is being transferred to Sault Ste. Marie to take over the super market in that city. Mr. Nemick was manager of the East Jordan store before being transferred last September when Victor Hull, the then Grayling manager was shifted to Traverse City store as manager. The newly named manager for the Grayling store is married and the father of two children, ages two and five years. He expects to move his family here to make their home in the very near future.

## Souders-Knutilla Vows Solemnized



—Courtesy Bay City Times

Mrs. R. L. Knutilla

A double ring ceremony was read at Michelson Memorial Church, Saturday afternoon at four o'clock solemnizing the marriage of Miss Shirley Diane Souders and Robert Lloyd Knutilla.

The Rev. C. G. Clippert officiated at the candlelight ceremony and traditional wedding music was presented by Mrs. C. G. Clippert. The church was graced with ferns and bouquets of white gladioli for the ceremony.

Shirley is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Souders. The bridegroom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Carl Knutilla of Ironwood. Given in marriage by her father the bride wore a chapel length gown of blue pink Schiffré, embroidered with white satin with pink satin petals scattered over the gown. The dress was fastened with wristpin sleeves and small collar trimmed with pearls. She wore a small veil held in place by three pink satin straps and carried a bouquet of white mums and hydrangeas.

Miss Thora Tyler of Detroit, a classmate of the bride, at Harper Hospital School of nursing, served as bridesmaid in white gown of aqua-trimmed with white and blue bodice and a matching cap and carried pink-feathered corsage of flowers. Miss Cora Conner of Ironwood was a pink flower girl.

After the ceremony a reception for 125 guests was held in the church parlors. The tiered wedding cake, which was topped by a bride and groom, was guarded by Mrs. C. G. Clippert. The cake was served by Mrs. J. A. Sorenson and Mrs. John Salka of Centerline and Mrs. Leo Salka of Centerline. The bride's maid of honor, Fredricka, stood at the coffee table. Mrs. Fredricka Ashton, Mrs. Henry Ashton, Mrs. Donald Miller, assisted at the gift table. Shirley is a graduate of Grayling High School. The groom graduated from Ironwood High School. He attended Junior College in Ironwood and graduated from Michigan School of Mining and Technology at Houghton.

Following a week's wedding trip to the southern states, the bride will return to her studies at Harper Hospital, Detroit, which she will complete in September, at which time the couple plans to reside in Houghton where Mr. Knutilla is employed.

Contributions have been received from the following to date: Paul Hendrickson, Stanley, Carl John, Fredricka, Stanley, Matsun, Flint, Frank A. Bell, Neagard, Beatrice Peterson Rowland, Grayling; R. Marshall Holliday, Grand Rapids; Jean McCullough, Conroy, Island, N. Y.; Dr. Alfred D. Hanson, Buchanan; Helen Granger, Laman, Grayling; Elizabeth Swanson, Atkinson, and making.

The letters accompanying the donations with the Alumni Association success in its endeavor. The following was thought to be of special interest to many Grayling residents.

March 22, 1933. High School Alumni Association Grayling, Michigan.

The Mrs. Frank Bell for whom your letter was intended was Mrs. Masters. She died in 1897 and her body was buried alongside those of her husband and mother in the old Grayling cemetery.

She and I were members of the first class in the old Graded School. I am 86 years old and confined to the house so of course cannot attend your banquet but my best wishes will be with you. Am pleased to inclose a small contribution for the lounge in your new school.

Sincerely, F. A. Bell

The Board of Directors of the GHS Alumni Association are appreciative of the many who have helped to make the mailing of letters to graduates as complete as it is. Mrs. Lamm may be contacted for any addresses which may not have reached her.

## Junior Play Tonite, March 31

Folks will be heading toward the Grayling High School Auditorium tonight, March 31, to see the Junior Class present their annual play, a three act comedy, entitled, "Stranger in the Night". The cast has worked hard to learn their parts and promise a fine entertainment.

The juniors present this play each year to earn funds to finance their Senior trip and will be most pleased if you will help out their cause by your attendance. This will no doubt be the last performance in this auditorium.

The list of the program was published in last week's Avalanche. However, we failed to mention Bob Carlson, who will play the part of a policeman. Sorry Bob.

Admission prices to the play are 35 and 50 cents, the time 8:00 p. m.

## Over 200 Attend Dr. Hayes Testimonial

Well over 200 people gathered at the Grayling High School Auditorium last Friday night to bid a fond farewell to Doctor Louis E. Hayes of Grayling, who soon leaves for the U. S. Army.

There were people in attendance from Grayling, Frederic, Lewiston, Lovells, Roscommon, Lyon Manor and Higgins Lake.

The program began with the introduction of Dr. B. Elmore Henry as master of ceremonies by Thane Hendrickson, chairman of the committee who planned the testimonial. After a few words, Dr. Henry called on Grayling's Mayor A. L. Roberts who welcomed all to the gathering. He was followed on the program by Dr. M. Oppy of Roscommon who filled in for Dr. Robert Libbecke of Grayling who was originally scheduled for a talk on Louis Hayes the Doctor. A family death prevented Dr. Libbecke from attending.

Charles Doyle of Lewiston was the next speaker and took as his subject, Louis-Hayes—the Man. Mrs. Charles Madril, R. N., was the next on the program with a presentation of a tissue bagage from the staff of Grayling Mercy Hospital.

## VIKING TRACK TEAM STARTS TRAINING

Over 40 Grayling High boys have reported out for track under Coach Bruce Smith and workouts are underway. More are expected to report soon, bringing the squad strength near to 50.

Only one 1934 letterman was lost by graduation, Frank Ludemann. Returning lettermen are: Fredricka, Mike and Tom Gibbons, Red Hamilton, Steve Ferguson, Bill Kenyon, Dick Klein, Ken Lazarowicz, Dave Lowe, Gary Parkinson, Jim Parkinson, Dale Pettengill, Don Thompson and Gary Worden.

The track team has point scores for the Vikings last year bringing in a total of 111. Hamilton was second with 89.4, with Tom Gibbons third with 47.4. Among the school track records to topple last year was Failing's 100 yard dash in 15 seconds, 10 feet, 10 7/8 inches in the pole vault and 14 feet 6 inches in the broad jump. Hamilton ran the high hurdles in 17.5 seconds and the 224 1/2 seconds in the low hurdles, was another new school record. A new meet relay mark was set as the Gibbons brothers teamed with Failing and Hamilton to run the event in two minutes 40.7 seconds.

The track team is planning a track for April 29 and tickets for the event are now on sale. Proceeds of the affair will be used to finance a trip for the team to Escanaba on May 9 to meet a track team from Kingsford and Escanaba in a three-way meet.

Following is this year's track meet schedule: April 19, Gaylord at Grayling; April 26, Mayfield at Grayling; April 28, Central Michigan Relays at 10:30; May 3, Grayling and Boyne City at Gaylord, 8:00; May 8, Grayling and Kingsford at Kingsford, 8:30; May 11, Menominee and Kalkaska at Grayling, 3:15; May 14, Regionals at Cadillac; May 17, Petoskey Relays, 7:00; May 21, State at East Lansing, 10:30; May 24, Conference at Charlevoix, 4:00.

## Viking Named "All Area"

Captain Richard "Red" Hamilton of the Grayling Vikings was named Monday night by being named to an "All Area" basketball squad and was presented with a gold basketball by Mitch Gordon, sports director at the Grayling High School in Cadillac.

Both Hamilton and Coach Bruce Smith appeared on the program. A team of five were named in Class B, C and D. Ten other players were named for their outstanding sportsmanship and team spirit.

The only other players from the Northern Class C Conference was Duane Walker of Charlevoix who also was named on the "All Area" team and Robert Danforth of East Jordan who was named among the area's ten best team players and for sportsmanship.

## Michelson Memorial Church News

The Teacher Training Class was postponed from Monday to Tuesday evening this week, because of Mr. Puffer's absence on the earlier night.

This week will see the end of the present phase of evangelistic calling and membership preparation. The pastor's membership class for children and youth will be concluded on Friday afternoon and all adults planning to join the church at this time are requested to attend a special membership meeting at 7:30 p. m. on Friday. Next Sunday is Palm Sunday and new members will be baptized at the morning worship service.

## CHURCH SCHOOL

Mrs. Ted Thompson's section of the 2nd grade and Mrs. R. A. Moshier's section of the 3rd grade perfect attendance banners on Friday, March 31. March seems to be a great month for birthdays, as twelve members celebrated World Service Sunday by bringing birthday offerings for the special World Service fund. The group included Mrs. R. C. Puffer, Elaine Lutz, Joe Robertson, Marshall and Karen Atkinson, Julia Carlson, Raymond Halstead, Karen Hanson, Vivian Fenton and Ernest Larson, all March celebrants.

Rev. Puffer and Mrs. R. A. Moshier are celebrating birthday anniversaries that occurred in January and February. Wednesday of this week was the annual Dally-Vacation-Bible School Clinic, held again at Gaylord, group of S. S. staff members planned to attend.

The MYF followed their own meeting Sunday evening by proceeding in a body to the Free Methodist Church where they were guests of the Young People's Missionary Society for the evening service. Next Sunday's meeting will be at the Ted Wheeler home.

The Men's Club served their annual Fish Supper last Friday evening and according to all reports the affair was a complete success.

## Russell Carlson Elected As New Grayling Winter Sports President

### To Meet Each Month Regularly

At a meeting held at the Grayling Township Hall Monday evening, Grayling's City Manager Russell Carlson was elected as the new president of Grayling Winter Sports, Inc., for the coming year.

Elected as vice-president was William H. Hines while Miss Lillian Hill and Miss Agnes Hanson were elected as secretary and treasurer respectively.

Named as directors of Directors were Mrs. B. E. Hennig, Mrs. James Poppe, Thomas Welsh, Louis Sullivan, William Joseph, Eric Post and Robert Strong. The newly elected officers and board of directors plan on meeting regularly each month during the remainder of the year with a winter meeting to be held during winter sports season. The new officers and directors will hold their first meeting on Friday evening, April 8 at 8 o'clock at the City Hall when they expect to authorize the payment of all bills from the current season and to take care of as much as possible of older outstanding accounts.

The new group are planning on having a winter sports booth at the Grayling Women's Club Trade Show with membership tickets for the coming season available.

The past season brought a total income of \$6,409.92 as against \$4,288.85 the year before. It is hoped to install several more sleds by next season which should increase sled rental receipts by a large amount.

## Roscommon Rotarians Offer Minstrel Show

The Roscommon Rotary Club announced its fifth annual Minstrel show on next Friday and Saturday nights, April 1 and 2, at 8:00 P. M., at the Gertrude Higgins High School Auditorium, Roscommon, Mich. The cast includes some seventy-five persons including the brief period of initiation number of the Roscommon Rotary Club and persons from the community recruited for specialty acts.

The proceeds from the show will again be used for youth programs in the community. Last year, the Roscommon Community Council was given one thousand dollars towards the support of the summer youth recreation program. Two boys were sent to Wolverine Boys' State and two girls to Wolverine Girls' State. In addition, the Roscommon Community Council was given one thousand dollars towards the support of the Rotary Club's youth training camp and a local high school graduate was given a one hundred fifty dollar college scholarship.

The American Cancer Society has proposed a unique idea with which we are in complete agreement. The opening of its 1935 Crusade, a combined fund-raising and educational campaign. On Friday, April 1 at 10:00 p. m. church bells will be tolled and the public will be asked to halt all activities for a brief period of time to observe the serious problem of cancer. That occasion also will serve as a memorial to those who have died from cancer during the past year.

If it serves to impress the public with the magnitude of the cancer problem it will indeed prove worthwhile. Recently the ACS announced that a review of its statistics showed that one in every four Americans would eventually develop cancer.

To fight this cruel killer successfully will take a major effort on the part of a vast number of people. And everyone in our community should take advantage of the opportunity and rally to the banners of the cancer control forces on April 1.

It is indeed proper that we mourn the cancer dead when the bells toll, and it is common sense, too, that we prepare to defend the living by supporting the 1935 Cancer Crusade.

"We want that ceremony to be both solemn and hopeful," Mrs. Harold Rasmussen, ACS campaign manager, said. "Let us be solemn in our memory of our lost ones, and let us be hopeful everywhere who have lost their lives to cancer. We can be hopeful in the knowledge that if this year's ACS crusade is successful it will have more lives; hopeful also because success will mean that there will be \$8,000,000 available for cancer research during the next year, bringing the day nearer when science will give us complete freedom from cancer."

Leaflets containing life-saving facts about cancer have been distributed in the community. Chairman Rasmussen said this morning, "are a highly important weapon in the fight against cancer. I hope the people will read them and take proper action. Last year 75,000 Americans were lost needlessly to cancer, lost because they acted too late."

## Mrs. Hannah H. Michelson Succumbs Suddenly

Mrs. Hannah H. Michelson of Birmingham, wife of Frank R. Michelson died very suddenly Sunday, March 27th at the family's summer home at Higgins Lake where they were spending the weekend.

Services were held Wednesday afternoon at one o'clock at the Bell Chapel of the William R. Hamilton Co., Birmingham.

## RED CROSS FUND DRIVE APPEARS SUCCESSFUL

Though all reports are not in, it looks as though the Red Cross Fund Drive will again reach its quota this year, Mrs. C. G. Clippert, drive chairman, announced today.

Parts of the area had not been called upon as of Tuesday. Due to the bad storm last week calls could not be made as scheduled.

Forty-five town's ladies co-operating with Mrs. Bill Joseph, Mrs. Carl Richardson, Mrs. B. E. Hennig and Mrs. Robert Bovee, drive committee from the Women's Club are making calls in the residential district. Three-quarters of their area has been completed. Everyone is co-operating very nicely.

When you are called upon, please join and serve. Your contribution is needed to make this drive a success.

## Michigan Adds 55,103 Acres To Tree Farms

DETROIT (Special)—The Michigan Tree Farm Committee announced that 55,103 acres of cropland producing timberland were added to the Michigan Tree Farm System by the committee's action recently.

The new tree farm areas are widely scattered throughout the state and range from an 11-acre Cass County farm woodlot to a 45,440-acre industrial forest ranging across the eastern Upper Peninsula.

The only tree farm now in Crawford County is a certified one belonging to W. E. McCullough of Highland Park.

Charles G. Bennett of Detroit, chairman of the Michigan Forest Industries, urged woodland owners throughout the state to follow the example of the 387 Michigan woodland owners who already are certified members of the American Tree Farm Society. Michigan Forest Industries sponsors the Tree Farm program in the state in co-operation with the national sponsors, American Forest Products Industries, Inc. of Washington, D. C.

AFPI reports that 6,094 private woodland owners in 34 states now have 34,018,616 acres of well-managed timber enrolled in the voluntary program of good forest management. All Tree Farms are inspected by trained foresters at no charge to the owner and must meet rigid forest management standards to become certified.

Woodland owners interested in joining the program are urged to contact Bruce C. Bennett, chairman, Michigan Tree Farm Committee, Ann Arbor, Michigan.

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## Grayling Women's Club Trade Show April 15-16

Friday and Saturday, April 15th and 16th, marks the days for the Grayling Women's Club second annual Trade Show.

This year's show promises to be bigger and better than last year's, due to the fact that the new high school gymnasium will be near enough completed to house the show. More booths are available with much larger space per booth than last year.

This show is given for the sole purpose of acquainting the general public with what merchants have to sell and to keep business in Grayling.

This year, the merchants are going all out to put on a good show. You will see 1935 automobiles displayed on the floor, rooms with furniture to make lovely homes, hardware, fishing tackle, clothing, groceries, filling station supplies, jewelry, shoes, drugs, paints, wall-paper, upholstering, TV sets, ice-boxes, stoves, plumbing supplies, notions, sporting goods. In fact, just name it and it's there.

Useful favors will be given out from each booth, plus valuable door-prizes given away each afternoon and evening.

The show is offering something unique in entertainment this year. Watch next week's paper for more details. The Coffee Shop will be in operation during the entire show, so you won't have to go home to eat.

There will be plenty of entertainment for the youngsters—so please plan on gathering up the family and come to Grayling's big show.

REMEMBER THE DATES—APRIL 15th and 16th.

## Grayling Bowling Leagues

### NATIONAL LEAGUE March 24, 1935

1 Kiwanis Club	33
2 Altos	32
3 Pure Oil Co.	31
4 American Legion	26 1/2
5 Cadillac Overall	28
6 Speedway	24 1/2
7 Holston-Bread	24 1/2
8 Stangs	24 1/2
9 Cloughs Spt. Shop	24
10 B-C-D	23
11 Bear Archery	22 1/2
12 Maid Rite	22
13 Wayside Inn	17 1/2
14 Gabels	17
15 St. Mary's No. 2	17
16 Snow Burns	14
Team high series: Holston-Bread 2700, Cadillac Overall 2642, Altos 2508.	
Team high single: Cadillac Overall 944, Altos 887.	
Ind. high series: Don Schreyer 591, Woods 576, Bob Schreyer 561.	
Ind. high single: Woods 231, Fisher 221, Don Schreyer 217.	
High five averages: Bob Schreyer 180, Carlyle 177, Snyder 176, Tony Nelson 174, Quinn 171.	

ATTENTION—American Legion Bowling for Tuesday, March 22nd cancelled, account weather, please see dates on schedule at alley. All scheduled bowling O.K.

Three top doubles scores in city tournament are: MacHewson and GEN. THOMPSON, 1233; San-Car and Maureen, 1218; and Decker and Peterson, 1214.

High series scores in the singles of the men's city tournament held over the weekend were posted by Leo Granger with 670; Porry Akers, 664; Bill LaChapelle 647, Bud Sorenson 640, Ken Moore 613, Eldee Swanson 612, Fred Welsh 609 and Jim Duley 608.

### RECREATION LEAGUE March 23, 1935

1 Bear Archery	74 1/2
2 Spike's Keg	70
3 Sorenson's	68
4 Altos	61
5 St. Mary's	58
6 Ausable River Inn	52 1/2
7 Black and White	52 1/2
8 Marshall Hotel	51
9 Ozon's Dirty Dix	50
10 Dad's Spt. Gds.	45
11 Olson's Shoes	39 1/2
12 Grayling Merc.	38
Team high single: Altos 739, 701, Dad's Spt. Gds 751-757, Marshall Hotel 708-725, Bear Archery 714-728, Black & White 717.	
Team high series: Dad's Spt. Gds. 2197, Altos 2168, Bear Archery 2111, Marshall Hotel 2097, Spike's 2027.	
Ind. high single: E. LaChapelle 191, J. Rasmussen 187, J. Mathewson 160, C. Sorenson 162, L. Hatfield 159.	
Ind. high series: J. Rasmussen 616, C. Sorenson 616, C. Nelson 602, L. Hatfield 491.	

## State, County Battles Expected To Bring Out Record To Polls

### Four Proposed State Amendments On Ballot

Next Monday, April 4th, the Biennial Spring Election will be held and it is expected that battles for posts at the state level plus a county fight for the Judge of Probate post and several township contests might bring out a record of voters.

The clash between the Republican and Democratic parties for the two Supreme Court posts, as well as the post of Superintendent of the State Board of Education, which controls Michigan State College; the University of Michigan Board of Regents and the State Board of Education, which operates the teachers' colleges as well as the State Board of Public Instruction, is a hot and heavy affair reminiscent of a presidential race.

Voters will also decide on four proposed amendments to the State Constitution. The first proposed amendment would change the Constitution to allow the Legislature to set up the procedure on all non-partisan nominating procedures, primary and regular elections. The second proposal would make it mandatory that all justices of the Supreme Court, as well as Circuit Judges be licensed lawyers. The third proposal would authorize the State to borrow up to \$100,000,000 for the purpose of loaning to school districts to pay the principal and interest on certain school bonds. The last proposed amendment would establish a bi-partisan board of state canvassers of elections.

Only three men filed to run for three Grayling City Council posts in the April elections. Councilmen Don K. Gohiro and Emil Giegling have filed to run for re-election to their posts while Emil Tahvonen whose term also expires has not filed to run. Tahvonen is now employed by the State of Michigan as an auditor and being in civil service can not hold elective office. The third man to file for a Council post, Dr. John F. Cook, local dentist and a new comer to the city political field.

Voters in the City of Grayling will also be given a ballot on which to nullify their preference as to the installation of parking meters in the downtown area of Grayling. The vote is termed as an "advisory proposition" and the results are not necessarily binding on the City Council who seeks the wisdom of the citizens on this controversial question.

Also on the local scene, a battle for the post of Crawford County Judge of Probate is shaping up as present office holder Beniah Neatman, appointed by Gov. C. Mennen Williams to fill the vacancy due to the death of Robert F. Neafie is opposed on the non-partisan ticket by Ray F. Clement former

### Probate Judge for 7 years.

Waters—in Crawford County township will receive but one slate of township candidates for which to vote except in Beaver Creek where two caucuses were held and two slates of candidates named.

In Frederic Township, Eugene Harner is making a run for the office of Township Treasurer on stickers while in Beaver Creek Township, George Wolf has signified that he would run on stickers for the office of Supervisor. In Grayling Township, present Supervisor after being defeated at the caucus was nominated for the Board of Review and later withdrew. John McMillan will run on stickers in an attempt to be re-elected as Grayling Township Supervisor.

## Chamber Opens New Office Tomorrow

The newly organized Crawford County Chamber of Commerce will open its new offices in the former American Legion Post building on Peninsula street tomorrow, April 1st.

Due to the fact that all applicants for the position of manager of the Chamber, have not been interviewed, Mrs. Russell Wright has been appointed temporary secretary and William Sorenson, temporary manager. The new office will be open from 9 a. m. until 5 p. m. each day except Sunday, it was announced.

A contract has been negotiated between the Grayhound Bus Lines and the Chamber to maintain facilities for the arrival and departure of passengers and freight at the new Chamber building.

This Office will give the Crawford County Chamber of Commerce a clearing house for all activities and information such as the present membership drive. The response to the drive has been very gratifying to date, it was said. The committee working on the drive will contact prospective members as rapidly as possible. Members of the new Chamber are being supplied with green and gold plaques to display in their stores or offices. The membership quota has been set at 300 members it was announced with the membership list crowding the 100 mark already.

Among those who have already become members of the new Chamber of Commerce up to the first of this week are: Russell Carlson, Sorenson's Motor and Dining Room, William LaChapelle, Art Clough, Crawford County Avalanche, Warren Produce Company, Knabbs Texaco Service, Alex Atkinson, Alfred Hanson, Dick's Speedway Service, Tuttle Distributing Company, Inc., Clements and Farmer, American Legion Post 106, Welsh Motor Sales, Harold Hatfield Jr., Herbert Wolff, Meech's Northend Grocery, Dr. Ralph Hoffman, Bull's Triangle Motel, Lester Stephen, Olson's Shoe Store, Grayling Lumber and Supply Co., Grayling Mercantile Co., Callahan's Suncoco Service, Werts' Lene Pine Inn, Borchers' Canoe Livery, Robert J. Dean, Hanson's Sporting Goods, Peterson Hardware, B-C-D Co.

Maid Rite Restaurant, Sorenson's Funeral Home, Shoppensons Inn, Dr. J. F. Cook, Burrows' Market, Davis Jewelry, Dawson's Martin's Pure Oil Service, Horst's Decorating Shop, Sorenson's Men's Shop, Penrod's Cabs, Southgate Motel, Bruno's Tavern, Johnson's Motel, Grayling Gulf Service, Consumers Power Company and the Midwestern Broadcasting Co.

## Mercy Hospital News

Among the patients at Mercy Hospital this week are: Albert Gierke, Fronia Charlefort, Jessie Bunker, Charlotte Lucksted, Mitchell Millikin, Fern Macaulay, Gladys Nichols, and Ida Papendick, of Grayling; Elvira Lawe and Hazel Pult of Elkton; Howard Weaver and Donald and Diane Kinney of Atlanta; Robert Lester and Evelyn Fraser of Roscommon; Bernice Anderson of Houghton Lake; Hattie Pool of Prudenville; George Reed of Orono; Robert Seeger of The Heights; and Lester and Ione Seype of Dearborn.

## Grayling Evangelical Lutheran Church

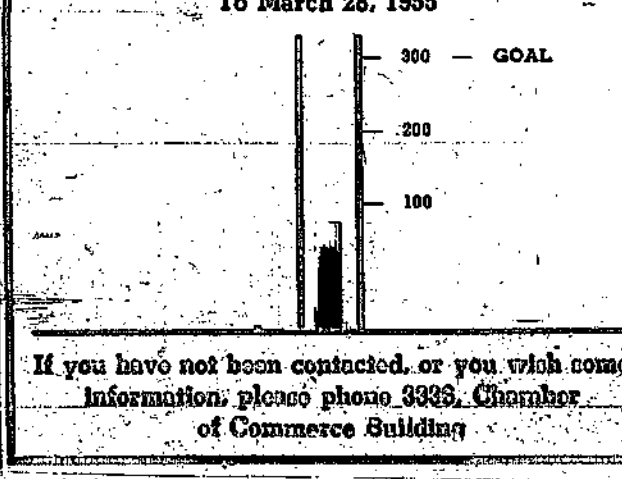
Palm Sunday, April 3rd at 11 A. M. the following will be confirmed: Joanne Marie Garland, Shirley Kay Thibault, Sandra Sorenson and Julie Ann Marshall.

Holy Thursday, April 7th at 7:30 P. M. Holy Communion.

Good Friday, April 8th at 7:30 P. M. Last Lenten Service.

Easter Sunday, April 10th at 11 A. M. Easter Services.

## Crawford County Chamber Of Commerce Membership Drive



If you have not been contacted, or you wish more information, please phone 3323, Chamber of Commerce Building



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## Plan Third Annual Report

Institute

Resort, motel, and food service people throughout Michigan have an opportunity to go back to school for three days during the Third Annual Tourist and Resort Institute to be held at the Michigan State College Kellogg Center, April 4-6.

Sponsored by the MSC Tourist and Resort Extension Service, the Institute is designed to aid all those connected with Michigan's vast tourist industry in developing and improving resort accommodations and recreational facilities. Speakers, special conferences, exhibits and panel discussions will be featured on the three-day program.

Heading the list of speakers is Chasler C. Wells, secretary-manager of the West Michigan Tourist & Resort Association, who will

deliver the opening address at a noon luncheon on April 4. Governor G. Mennen Williams will speak at the final luncheon on Wednesday when certificates will be awarded to all those who attend the Institute.

Participants will be working resort people assisted by resource persons from various fields closely related to the state's highly important tourist industry. Subjects on the Institute's agenda include: Promotional ideas, income tax and property depreciation methods, food service, meat selection and cooking, employee training, road improvement, discussion of trends in motels, resort legal problems, and raising and holding bait.

According to Michigan Tourist Council officials, the Institute is recognized as one of the nation's most complete and practical conferences on tourist servicing. Several leading resort operators from Ohio, New York and Canada have already made reservations to attend along with scores of Michigan people.

"This show of interest is indicative of how eager top resort operators are to keep abreast of the most modern and progressive methods of resort management," reports Robert J. Farnes, Tourist Council Executive Secretary. "It behooves every Michigan resident who has any part in the state's tourist industry to attend the Institute. It is certain to improve his individual operation and in turn benefit Michigan's overall tourist appeal."

Details and reservations may be secured from the Tourist and Resort Service, 409 Agricultural Building, Michigan State College, East Lansing.

### Maple Forest 4-H News

The 4-H of Maple Forest met at Mrs. Hamblin's home. This meeting we worked on our plastics again, sending them and getting them ready for shipping, which we will do next meeting. Dave, Becky and Janet Hamblin served this time. We had planned 4-H for Thursday, March 24, but we cancelled it because we are to meet March 26 at the Town Hall where the girls and boys meet to discuss what we have done.

Becky Hamblin, Reporter.

Subscribe for the Avalanche

## SPORTS CORNER



### This on That

Red Real, an 11-year-old jumper scheduled for the Grand National Steeplechase didn't make it. The horse split his Achilles tendon in his right hind leg and was destroyed. Among baseball players back for a second try in the major leagues this year are Joe Black of the Dodgers, Emory "Bubba" Church, with the Cubs, Gus Nafes, Phillies, and less familiar names such as Les Slater, Harry Simpson, Owen Friend, George Spencer and Jack Flaherty. When ice hockey referees represent a game with other referees from the Western side of the Iron Curtain (during the World Ice Hockey Championships) they took any possible political effect out of the game by playing under the slogan, "Vladivostok vs. Vladivostok."

### WANTS BIG LEAGUE JOB...

Bob Lemmon, who hit 60 home runs for Nashville last year, is at Phoenix (Arizona) training camp with New York Giants to try to land an outfielder's post.

## Voters Asked To Pass Amendment To Aid School Districts In Building

Michigan Voters will be asked April 4 to install in the state constitution a plan to help local school districts finance new buildings with a \$100,000,000 bond issue. It was written by educators who know the potential problems and enacted by legislators who were convinced it existed.

Chairman L. Taylor, superintendent of public instruction, called schoolmen together last fall for a try at solving the crisis on a statewide basis and the proposal is the result. Taylor said:

"The legislature is to be complimented for putting the proposal on the ballot. If approved by the voters, it will help the most seriously distressed school district and help education."

Taylor painted a picture frightening to lawmakers: The state will need 2,000 more classrooms a year for the next five years to handle an increased enrollment of 70,000 new students annually.

School financing in Michigan has always been a problem, with

a lift from the state sales tax diversion, and legislators feared any further involvement would jeopardize local control.

But, they heard of the school districts on the fringes of metropolitan areas where new subdivisions will quadruple enrollments in some districts next year and engulf local financing plans.

They were told of half-day sessions in crowded schools, the overload of students on teachers.

After several conferences, the proposal—drafted first in Oakland county—was shipped into the legislature under the sponsorship of Senator William S. Broomfield (R-Royal Oak).

It first called for a \$200,000,000 bond issue, but educators agreed that half that amount would be enough for emergency money.

Here's how it will work: School districts, facing a classroom crisis will be forced to levy up to 13 mills in school taxes for buildings. If the need is greater, the system begins to work.

Districts will certify their needs to the state and get approval to go on building. Anything that cannot be covered by the local 13-mill tax will be picked up by the state. The state fund will be used to make annual payments or principal and interest on the local school bonds. The proposal also would pledge the full faith and credits of the state behind the local bond issues to obtain lower interest rates.

School districts also would be permitted to use the state funds to re-finance existing bond issues, cutting interest rates on which they are now paying.

To get the state's money back, the districts would be required to continue the 13-mill levy after their needs drop below that point, using the excess over a 30-year period to repay the state. Taylor said:

"We want to educate our children, a right they have by being Americans. That, we hope, is one of the answers to the problem."

He said the \$100,000,000 "probably" would not be all used and that the first year's lending program would affect 46 districts, most of the southeastern section of the state, and the first year's loans would approximate \$3,000,000.

Democrats in the Senate finally got a home of their own.

It is the first-floor office in the capitol building formerly occupied by Grand Army of the Republic records and one secretary. The office has been moved to other quarters.

For years, Senate Democrats have complained that a third-floor caucus room is a little snug for two desks, two secretaries, a filing cabinet, an electric heater and 11 Democrats.

Last year, Lt. Gov. Clarence A. Reid, a Republican, invited the minority party to use his office, a spacious carpeted room on the second floor.

Lt. Gov. Phillip A. Hart, a Democrat new this year, issued the same invitation, just to be bi-partisan.

But when the GAR office was moved, the Democrats were waiting. The room now is brilliantly lighted, has a tile floor, three desks—and plenty of room for Democrats and a few visitors, occasionally.

There's only one complaint now: There's no way to install a loud speaker from the Senate like other rooms have and the secretaries must rely on telephones for information from the Senate.

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by (Detroit), minority floor—fringe license and the vote from five to three days. Senator Carlton H. Morris (Kalamazoo) sponsored the bill. "Young people have problems," he said.

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## ELECTION NOTICE

TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF THE SEVERAL TOWNSHIPS AND THE CITY OF GRAYLING, CRAWFORD COUNTY, STATE OF MICHIGAN:

Notice is hereby given that an election will be held at Town Hall and City Hall within said Townships and City on —

**MONDAY, APRIL 4, 1955**

from 7 o'clock in the morning until 8 o'clock in the afternoon, Eastern Standard Time, for the purpose of electing the following officers:

**STATE**—Two Justices of the Supreme Court; Two Regents of the University of Michigan; Superintendent of Public Instruction; Member of the State Board of Education; Two Members of the State Board of Agriculture.

**COUNTY**—Judge Of Probate.

**TOWNSHIP**—Supervisor, Clerk, Two Trustees, Highway Commissioner, 2 Justices of the Peace, Member of the Board of Review, Constable (not to exceed two), Treasurer.

**CITY**—Three members of the City Council.

Notice is hereby further given that at the time and place of holding the General Election, there will be submitted at the election four proposed amendments to the Constitution of the State of Michigan, viz:

### PROPOSAL NO. 1

Shall Section 23 of Article VII of the Constitution be amended to provide that all non-partisan nominating procedures, primaries and elections for judicial officers shall be conducted as prescribed by the Legislature?

### PROPOSAL NO. 2

Shall Section 17 of Article VII of the Constitution be amended to require that after July 1, 1955 justices of the Supreme Court and circuit judges shall be licensed to practice law in this state and at the time of their election or appointment, be under the age of 70 years?

### PROPOSAL NO. 3

Shall the constitution be amended to authorize the state to borrow \$100,000,000 and to pledge its full faith and credit for the payment thereof for the purpose of loaning school districts money with which to pay principal and interest on certain school bonds to authorize the legislature, subject to limitations, to prescribe the conditions of such loans, including maturities, through at least 25 years subject to prior reduction and to authorize the levy of taxes without limitation as to rate or amount for the payment of certain school bonds issued prior to July 1, 1957?

### PROPOSAL NO. 4

Shall Section 26 of Article VII of the Constitution be amended and a new section added to Article III to authorize the establishment by law of a bi-partisan board of state canvassers of 4 members?

Dated, March 23, 1955.

Leo E. Lovely, Clerk.

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Grayling Township

**EUGENE KAISER, Clerk**

Frederic Township

**CARRIE BAYNHAM, Clerk**

Maple Forest Township

**GEORGE WOLFE, Clerk**

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Thursday, March 31	Friday, April 1	Saturday, April 2	Sunday, April 3
4:45—Sign On	4:45—Sign On	5:45—Sign On	5:15—Sign On
5:00—Deputy Don	5:00—Deputy Don	6:00—Michigan Report	6:30—U. S. M. TV Hour
5:30—Howdy Doody	5:30—Howdy Doody	6:30—News-Sports Summary	6:30—This is the Life
6:00—News	6:00—News	6:40—Weather	7:00—Sunday Double Feature
6:15—Lamplight	6:15—Lamplight	6:45—Michigan Conservation	10:30—The Big Picture
6:30—Sports Today	6:30—Sports Today	7:00—Safety Film	11:00—James Mason
6:40—Weather	6:40—Weather	7:30—Western Time	11:15—Weather
6:45—Musical Notes	6:45—Musical Notes	8:30—Captured	Monday, April 4
7:00—Jockey Races	7:00—Jockey Races	9:00—Imogene Coca	4:45—Sign On
7:30—Triangle With Father	7:30—Triangle With Father	9:30—Pantomime Quiz	5:00—Deputy Don
7:45—24 Schools in Action	7:45—24 Schools in Action	10:30—George Gobel	5:30—Howdy Doody
8:00—You and Your Life	8:00—You and Your Life	10:30—Your Hit Parade	6:00—News
8:30—The Doctors	8:30—The Doctors	11:00—Saturday Feature Movie	6:15—T. B. A.
9:00—Deputy Don Playhouse	9:00—Deputy Don Playhouse	12:30—Weather	6:30—Sports Today
9:30—Chicago Wrestling	9:30—Chicago Wrestling	Sunday, April 3	6:45—Find a Hobby
10:30—Weather	10:30—Weather	5:15—Sign On	7:00—Mr. Wizard
		5:30—U. S. M. TV Hour	7:30—Harry Entertains
		6:30—This is the Life	8:00—Caesar's Hour
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**BITS O' TALK**

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Sparks spent from March 18th to 22nd visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bowen at Union City and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rell Sparks in Albion.

Don Stephan, who is attending Cedar Lake Academy, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alva Stephan over the week end.

The Buick Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Henry Stephan on Thursday, March 31.

Mr. and Mrs. George Wolf and Mr. and Mrs. John Wolf left Friday for Duluth, Minn., to visit their brother, Adam Wolf, who is ill. They expected to be gone several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Engle, of Gaylord left the first part of January to visit their son, Ted, Jr. and wife in California. They also spent some time in Florida and expect to return home this week. Mr. Engle is the brother of Mrs. Theodore Stephan.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Stensrud and son, David, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Stensrud in Hale for the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Swanson had as visitors the week end of March 18th Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer Guldenzops of Saginaw, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Babcock of Gladwin. The Swansons made a trip to Traverse City on Monday of last week.

Mrs. Lawrence Truduan and son, Dick, spent the week end of March 14th in Detroit, where he took treatment at the Ford Hospital.

Miss Norma Jean Truduan, daughter of the Anthony Truduan, Jr., gave a birthday party on March 18th for several little friends. Games were played and a birthday cake and ice cream were the refreshments. Norma Jean is 5 years old.

Mrs. Leonard Allison had word from her father Fred K. Rayson, of Poland, Ohio, that a tornado struck the main street of Poland Tuesday, the same day last week as Grayling's blizzard, doing extensive damage to the town's many old homes, and taking down many of the big trees which were landmarks there. The tornado struck just fifteen minutes after school had begun for the day, missing the schoolhouse by fifteen feet. Had it been earlier many children would no doubt have been injured.

Meech's Grocery will be re-open April 1st.

Corporal Darrell Ashton returned home from California Sunday, after being released from the service.

Dr. Clippert made a trip to Detroit Tuesday of last week and turned on Wednesday.

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son, Stephen, of Harrisville, former Grayling residents, spent the week end of the 19th as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Jorgenson.

Dr. Stanley Ekeally attended the Michigan Clinical Institute of the Michigan State Medical Society held in Detroit recently. He stopped out of town last week due to the storm. They spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Saginaw.

William Hunter, Sr., spent last week in Durand visiting his sons, William, Jr., and Roy and their families.

Mr. and Mrs. Les Welch entertained a few friends with a dinner party last Wednesday evening to celebrate Mr. Welch's birthday. Out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. Leo Beard of Mt. Pleasant. Mr. Beard showed some interesting movies.

Wednesday of last week Cpl. Robert Sunday of the Marines accompanied the Harry Hoerls to Grayling from Livonia, where they visited his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gehring, from Saturday to Tuesday. Cpl. Sunday enjoying a delay enroute from Camp Carson, Colo. to Camp Kilman, N. J., before going on to Germany. He is staying with Mr. and Mrs. Hoerl while in Grayling. Mr. and Mrs. Vini Sunday of Dearborn parents of Cpl. Sunday and Mr. and Mrs. Alton Gehring, Mrs. Hoerl's brother also of Dearborn, spent the weekend at the Hoerl home.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dyer were visited last week by their daughter and family Mr. and Mrs. Fred Demke of Lansing. Mr. Demke left Monday, while Mrs. Demke remained until Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Dyer spent the weekend in Lansing visiting his brother Dale and friends.

Mrs. Carlton Mead and daughter Becky of Roscomon, visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Felling last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Clough, Jr. and family spent Sunday a week ago in West Branch visiting her mother, Mrs. Edward LeDuc.

The Sam Collins had as visitors Sunday a week ago Mr. and Mrs. Max Allen of Clare, Miss Georgia Winn and Walter Felling of Clare, and Mr. and Mrs. William Foell of Gladwin. The ladies are all Mrs. Collins' sisters. Mr. and Mrs. Collins also visited his uncle, Mr. and Mrs. George Collins over the weekend.

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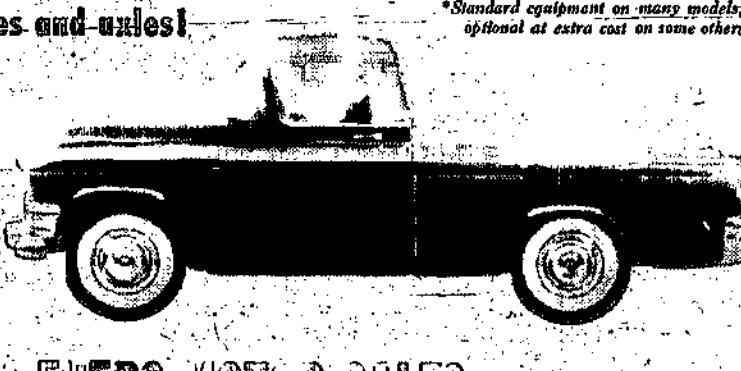
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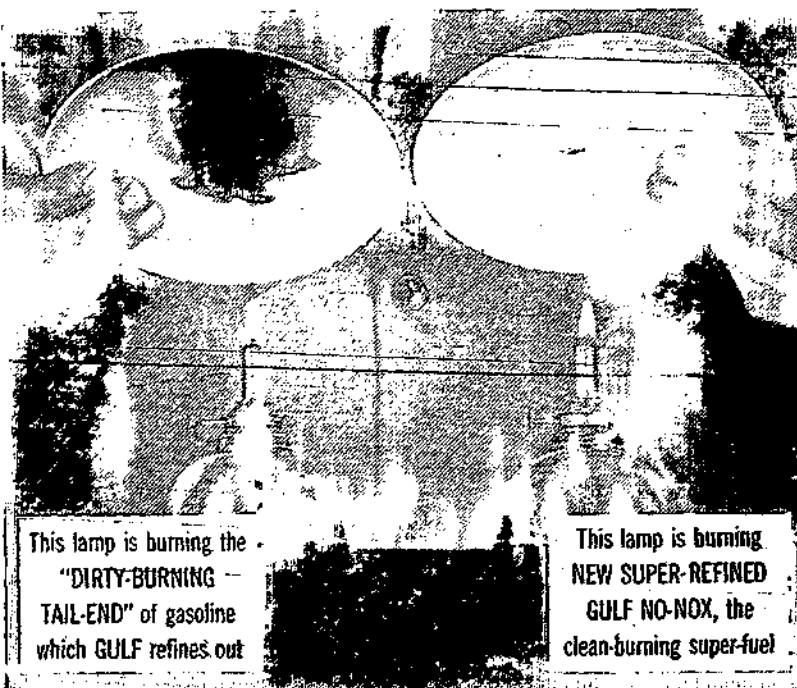
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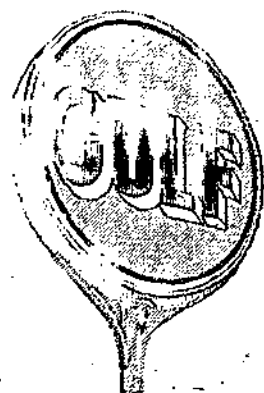
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### Boss O' Tank

Mrs. Russell Carlson, daughter of Eileen and Susan Blavia, spent Saturday in Traverse City. Mrs. Oscar Goss is the new assistant at the Register of Deeds office. She began her duties on March 14th.

Mrs. Lorne J. Douglas spent last week visiting friends in Saginaw. Mr. and Mrs. Glen Dingman returned Thursday last week from a two-week visit at his father's home in Alfred, Maine.



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Lansing, Michigan

Mr. William Smith in Detroit. Mrs. William Smith's mother, Mrs. Joseph Freeman, returned last week to her home in Gaylord after spending the winter with the Smiths. Mrs. Bertha Dannenberg and her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Rawleigh McClain, spent Saturday in Cadillac. Mrs. George Bickel Jr., spent Friday a week ago in Bay City visiting her father, Mr. Clarence Maxson, who is in the hospital there.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sojka and son of Centerline spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Ernest Borchers and Dan. Barbara and John were here for Shirley Souders' wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Borchers and Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Mathews spent Sunday a week ago in Cadillac. Mrs. Borchers, Bonnie Kay and Bunch spent last Saturday in Traverse City.

Mrs. Harold Skingley of Saginaw accompanied the George Skingleys home the first of last week just ahead of the storm and enjoyed the novelty of being snow-bound for a few days at Camp Wa Wa Sun. She enjoyed snowshoeing, the first she had done in thirty years, except that she nearly lost her balance when a loaded cedar tree right above her head.

Mr. and Mrs. George Skingley, Mrs. Harold Skingley and Mrs. Lee Hull spent the afternoon in Gaylord Friday. Mrs. Harold Skingley staying to visit her daughter Mrs. Robert Abbott.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hanson, the Misses Agnes and Ann Hanson, and George Hanson attended the funeral of Judge Frank Libke in Gaylord Saturday.

### Road Commissioners Minutes

March 4, 1955.  
A regular meeting of the Board of Crawford County Road Commissioners was held in their office in Grayling. Meeting called to order by Commissioner Richmond, chairman. Members present, Comms. Richmond, Johnson, Corsaut and Eng-Supt. Hull. Absent, none.

Vouchers 1790 to 1807 covering materials and Voucher No. 1808 covering Payroll No. 5 presented to the Commissioners for their approval. Motion made by Com. Corsaut, supported by Com. Johnson that the vouchers 1790 to 1808 be allowed and warrants ordered for their respective amounts. Motion carried by the following Yea vote: Comms. Richmond, Johnson and Corsaut.

Payroll No. 5 \$5,493.30  
Harold Alexander 320.45  
Roy City Automobile Supply 7.21  
Crawford Co. Road Com. 500.00  
Crawford Avalanche 27.00  
Doubleday-Hunt-Dolan 7.29  
Forest Cabins 6.33  
Alfred Hanson 19.80  
Johnson Hardware 146.47  
Johnson Heating & Oil Co. 640.36  
Clare Madsen 37.50  
Ron's Hardware 1.45  
Scientific Brake & Equipment Co. 88.36  
Scott Engineering Co. 8.20  
Tutts Distributing Co., Inc. 236.07  
Union Office Supply Co. 42.85  
Welsh Motor Sales 19.53  
Wolverine Tractor & Equipment Co. 14,158.06  
Youngs Equipment Co. 47.40

The minutes of the last regular and intervening special meetings read and approved as read. The Annual Report of the Crawford County Road Commission was presented to the Commissioners for their approval. Motion by Com. Corsaut, supported by Com. Johnson that the Annual Report be accepted and the Chairman and Clerk report on the report. The motion carried by the following Yea vote: Comms. Richmond, Johnson and Corsaut.

The Commission voted for the Directors of the County Road Association. The Commission accompanied by Eng-Supt. Hull visited roads in Maple Forest and Frederic



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### School District Approved For Tuition Collection

Superintendent of Schools, Frank L. Bond, has received the following resolution from the Michigan Department of Public Instruction, Lansing: "Your school district has been approved for the collection of tuition for students 9 through 12 for the year ending June 30, 1956. This decision has been made as a result of a review of the available data on your total school program. Signed, F. L. Bond, Deputy for Instruction."

### To Plant Over 2 Million Trout

More than 2,200,000 trout will be released in Michigan's streams and lakes starting in April. About 1,500,000 will be legal, while the rest will be smaller fish. The regular spring plantings will be made in advance of the April 30 deadline. The Michigan Department of Conservation is planning a large-scale trout planting program for the spring of 1955. About 130,000 brook trout, 875,000 browns and 884,000 rainbows were planted last spring.

Townships on a trip of inspection. After returning to their office, a motion was made and supported to adjourn until the next meeting, March 5, 1955, at 10:00 o'clock A. M. Motion carried, meeting adjourned.

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A special meeting was held by the Board of Crawford County Road Commissioners in their office in Grayling. Meeting called to order by Commissioner Richmond, chairman. Members present, Comms. Richmond, Johnson, Corsaut and Eng-Supt. Hull. Absent, none.

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Payroll No. 5 \$5,493.30  
Harold Alexander 320.45  
Roy City Automobile Supply 7.21  
Crawford Co. Road Com. 500.00  
Crawford Avalanche 27.00  
Doubleday-Hunt-Dolan 7.29  
Forest Cabins 6.33  
Alfred Hanson 19.80  
Johnson Hardware 146.47  
Johnson Heating & Oil Co. 640.36  
Clare Madsen 37.50  
Ron's Hardware 1.45  
Scientific Brake & Equipment Co. 88.36  
Scott Engineering Co. 8.20  
Tutts Distributing Co., Inc. 236.07  
Union Office Supply Co. 42.85  
Welsh Motor Sales 19.53  
Wolverine Tractor & Equipment Co. 14,158.06  
Youngs Equipment Co. 47.40

The minutes of the last regular and intervening special meetings read and approved as read. The Annual Report of the Crawford County Road Commission was presented to the Commissioners for their approval. Motion by Com. Corsaut, supported by Com. Johnson that the Annual Report be accepted and the Chairman and Clerk report on the report. The motion carried by the following Yea vote: Comms. Richmond, Johnson and Corsaut.

The Commission voted for the Directors of the County Road Association. The Commission accompanied by Eng-Supt. Hull visited roads in Maple Forest and Frederic

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## A Modern Crusade—

During the Middle Ages, the Christian countries of Europe mounted several ambitious offensives against the Moslems who were holding the Holy Land. Several of these crusades were anything but successful. The people of that time, however, volunteered for the crusades whenever another crusade against the Moslems was announced. They left their homes and families knowing full well that their chances of returning were very slim and if they did return it might be in chains. They knew they faced death which was even preferable to capture. They faced hunger, thirst, disease—living conditions in the desert would hesitate to place an animal today. Yet they won in ultimate victory overpowered their horrible enemies.

This month, the people of America are being asked to mount another crusade. This time we do not have to conquer a loved one, we do not have to face hardships. But we do face a cruel, deadly and relentless enemy.

Cancer. . . . .

During the past fifteen months, this foe of life has twice struck at this writer's family . . . but has been thwarted. You people of Crawford County know how often it has breached the walls of your families, your friends, your neighbors. Yes, it has been all too often.

Cancer will be defeated. This we can say in all sincerity. American scientific research and American medicine aided and supported by the funds from you and me will do the job.

Our jobbearers, even right in this community, faced the horror of diphtheria, small pox and typhoid fever. All three of these diseases were conquered. Today our three enemies are . . . cancer, heart disease and polio. They too, will be vanquished.

April is the month for the drive for funds for the American Cancer Society. Give generously and do your part to wipe this scourge of mankind off of the face of the earth. Let's stand up and fight it . . . not take it lying down. — P W S

## WORTH FEEDING



## Interesting Events In Grayling 23 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE FILES OF THE AVALANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO

March 31, 1932

Grayling's independent basketball tournament, held here last week, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, was highly successful and claimed by visiting teams to have been the best held anywhere in Michigan this year. High class teams, competent referees and a fast court provided fast games and plenty of thrills to keep the crowds in high tension. The Thomas-Lynch quintet of Saginaw went through to the finish, and maintained their record of no defeats this season. Their final game was with none other than Grayling's favorites—the Lumberjacks. The latter says the victory was a good run for the victory and it was only during the last few seconds of the game that the visitors came through with the winning count, breaking a tie of 34 all, when Knipfle, 208 pounds, six-foot five-inch, took the ball from the sidelines and tossed it into the hoop.

James W. Sorenson, senior member of the firm of Sorenson Brothers, and one of Grayling's best known and most estimable business men and citizens, passed away at his home Tuesday morning after a lingering illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Cassidy enjoyed a visit from their daughter, Sister Mary Pancretin, and Sister Mary DeSales of Saginaw Tuesday.

Old-Master coffee, 85c lb., package of tea, green or black, with each pound, Friday and Saturday. —Continued—

Ernest Walsh and son, Tom, T. P. Peterson, Adolph Peterson and Roy Mines drove over to Boyne City Tuesday night to see the smelt run.

Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Trudeau and little son Junior of Midland spent Easter Sunday here. On their return they were accompanied by the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Trudeau Sr., who are spending a few days in Midland.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Christenson and daughter, Fay, Esau, were Sunday callers in Mackinaw.

The writer dropped in to see the new Buick 8 at the Schoonover Buick Sales and Service Station yesterday and it certainly is a revelation. It is, apparently, in a class by itself in regard to modern improvements. Of course it has free wheeling but an improvement over earlier types of free wheeling cars. Gears may be shifted without showing in the clutch and it seems that there are a hundred other features that are new and wonderful. And the price is only \$995.00. Just promised to take us for a ride in it sometime when there isn't so much mud in the streets.

Earl Gierke, student at Mt. Pleasant Normal, is spending the Easter vacation at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adam Gierke. His brother, Edward, drove to Mt. Pleasant Friday to accompany him home.

A license to marry was issued to Ed. Barnham and Carrie C. Feldhauser yesterday by County Clerk A. M. Peterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hanson, Misses Marie Brown and Elizabeth Swanson, have been in Ann Arbor since Tuesday. Mr. Hanson went to University Hospital to consult a specialist concerning some throat trouble he has been having. Lillian Ahman is spending her Easter vacation at the home of her sister, Mrs. James Richardson in Roscommon.

Myrtle Swenson has had the wind.

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eat be shot and killed during the winter months, and the animal is on display at his home if anyone wishes to see it.

Miss Mildred Corwin of Lansing is spending the spring vacation visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Nels Corwin. She was accompanied by Frank Bromley, also of Lansing.

Gralling Lumberjacks left this morning for East Liverpool, Ohio, to take part in the Tri-State basketball tournament, that will be held Thursday, Friday and Saturday. The team will journey to East Liverpool in the Craig Bakery truck, which will be decorated with signs to advertise Graying.

On one side a sign reads "Spend your summers in Graying, Michigan," while on the other side is "Graying, Michigan, Capital City of Winter Sports." Following are members of the team who will make the trip: Russell Robertson, Francis Brady, Elmer Neal, Henry LaGrow, Arthur May, Walter Korhonen, Rudy Harrison, Paul Hendrickson and team manager Wesley Lagrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Gorman and family spent last Sunday

smelt fishing at Boyne City. While there they visited Mrs. Gorman's sister, Mrs. Floyd Schuler and family.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Joseph enjoyed a visit from the latter's sister, Mrs. Oscar Lubnow and little son, Thomas, of Detroit over the weekend. Mrs. Joseph and son, Billy, and nephew, Kenneth, of Traverse City accompanied them to Detroit Monday to spend a few days.

The Michigan Bell Telephone Co. has completed installation of telephone service for St. Helen to begin April 1st. All the business places have subscribed for the service and a number of residences. During the summer it is expected the line will be extended along the South shore of Lake St. Helen to give service to the St. Helen Shooting club and to the numerous cottages at Artesian Beach. It is also to be carried to the Lake St. Helen club. Long distance service is controlled through the exchange at West Branch.

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Convertibles, Estate Wagons, Rivieras—and the newest of the new cars, the long-awaited 4-Door Rivieras.

Best of all is the sheer thrill that's yours when you take to the road in any one of these '55 Buicks—for here is wallowing new V8 power—and here is the spectacular performance of Variable Pitch Dynaflow,\* which is very definitely the "must try" thrill of the year.

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are home from the A. A. C. for their Easter vacation.

The Democratic township committee for the ensuing year elected at their caucus Monday evening in W. J. Jorgensen, 42, Q. McCallough and Hans Mickelson.

There is a report current that the Ward fruit farm in Frederic is to be put up in 40 and 80 acre tracts, and put on the market for small farms at once. It comprises nearly 2,000 acres of fine agricultural land.

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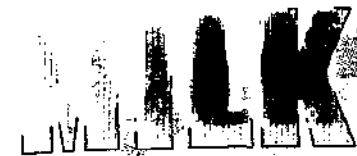


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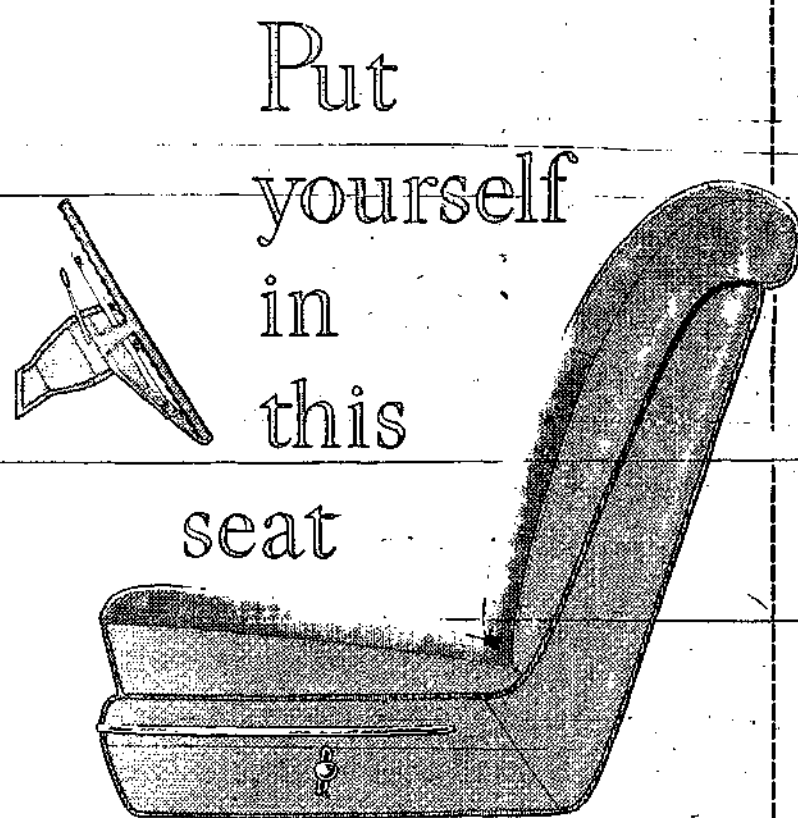
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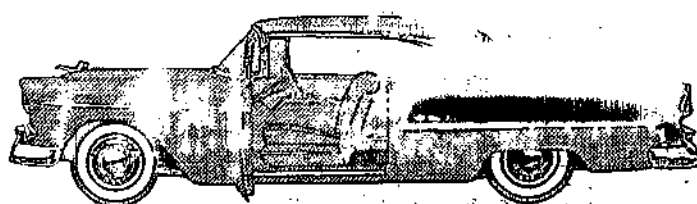
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Judge Libcke  
Dies in Gaylord

Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon in Gaylord, Michigan, at two o'clock for Judge Frank Libcke of that city. Judge Libcke succumbed Tuesday night, March 22nd at the Otsego County Memorial Hospital following a short illness.

Probate Judge of Otsego County for 10 years he had served previously as a justice of the peace for 15 years. He had held the office of president of the State Association of Justices of the Peace before that time he operated a prominent business and was a former manager of the Gaylord Creamery.

He was a member of the Gaylord Methodist Church and the board of trustees of the church, of the local Masonic lodge, the Kiwanis club, the Gaylord Veterans of Foreign Wars post, and of the Michigan Probate Judges' association.

Surviving are his widow; five sons, Floyd, of Battle Creek, John Libcke, Detroit city assessor, Clarence, of Detroit, Henry, of Washington, D. C., and Dr. Robert Libcke, of Gaylord; a daughter, Mrs. Floyd Yake, of Gaylord; 17 grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.

Plan New Chapel  
At Camp Lehman

A building to be used exclusively as a chapel and library will soon be established at Camp Lehman, the Corrections-Conservation labor camp located in the Hartwick Pines State Park area.

The new chapel is the result of a meeting held at Camp Lehman last Thursday morning with S. J. Gilman, director of the camp program for the Corrections Department with Sgt. M. J. Ide, supervisor of Camp Lehman and Father John Breitenstein of Grayling.

Up to this time, religious services have been held in the recreation hall at the camp. The new chapel and library will be the result of a remodeling of a present building.

Feldhauser P. T. A.

A meeting of the Feldhauser P. T. A. was held at the Feldhauser School on Wednesday night of last week. Two movies, which the P. T. A. secured from Modern Talking Pictures Service, Inc. of Chicago, were shown, entitled "Highway to Adventure" and "Sapphire Lake." Bob Stephan ran the projector, which was loaned by Grayling High School. After the movies candy was served to the 42 members and families present. The next meeting will be held April 26.

Crawford County Avalanche  
Thursday, March 31, 1955



DEATH AT FIVE—This is Carol whose life ended at the age of five years. She died after more than three years of battling intestinal cancer. A little more knowledge about cancer might have saved her life. Science is slowly gaining this knowledge through research. A contribution mailed to CANCER, care of your post office, will help the American Cancer Society's research program find the answer so that other Carols may live.

### Letters To The Editor

March 25, 1955  
Mr. Huger Leonard  
District Health Dept. No. 1  
Lake City, Mich.

Dear Mr. Leonard:  
It is with great sadness that I read of the recent death of Dr. Merritt. Although I never had the pleasure of meeting the Doctor personally, I felt that I knew him through his great work in our District Health Department No. 1. Much progress has been made under his guidance and leadership toward safeguarding the milk, foods, and general health conditions in our area. This Health Standards set-up has a direct bearing on our tourist business in this area also, as the tourist feels much safer if it is known that strict regulations are set up and adhered to, in regards to restaurants, hotels, eating establishments, water supplies, and last but not least, their milk supply.

Dr. Merritt's "Food Handlers School," which was started some years ago and still is a great help to local owners of those establishments serving food, beverages, and ice cream to the public. It has helped to educate the new comers as well as showing the more experienced of most recent methods in the art of food handling.

Would you please convey on to Dr. Merritt's family that the people of Crawford County shall feel his death a great personal loss in this area.

Very Truly yours,  
Lee Hunter, Owner  
Hunter's AuSable Dairy  
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### Lake Margrethe Water Level

(Information furnished by U. S. Geological Survey)  
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Water level Mar. 24, '55 1133.98 ft  
Water level, Mar. 24, '54 1133.04 ft  
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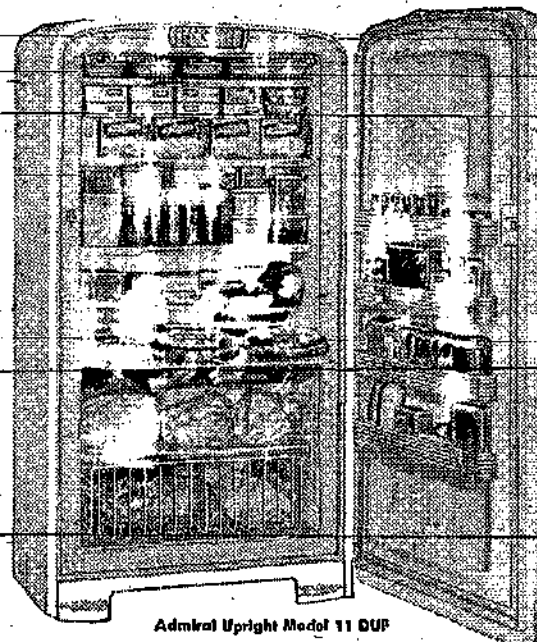
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